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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Applicants: Hiroyuki ABURATANI, et al.
Application No.: 10/526,741
Filing Date: November 14, 2005
For: **ANTIBODY AGAINST SECRETED N-
TERMINAL PEPTIDE OF GPC3 PRESENT IN
BLOOD OR C-TERMINAL PEPTIDE OF
GPC3**
Examiner: Peter J. Reddig
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Final Office Action dated July 9, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows:

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